

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend paragraph [0049] and [0050], as follows:

[0049] FIG. 39 is a sectional view used to describe the relation between a width and a length of partitioned discharge cells, and an area of phosphor layers; and

[0050] FIG. 40 is a partial exploded perspective view of a conventional plasma display[.];

Please add the following two new paragraphs after paragraph [0050], as follows:

[0050.1] FIG. 41 is an alternative to the seventh preferred embodiment of the present invention with an enlarged sectional view of area F of FIG. 30; and

[0050.2] FIG. 42 is a sectional view of the plasma display of FIG. 1 showing the lattice walls, in which the plasma display is assembled and the view is taken in the direction shown by arrow A of FIG. 1.

Please amend paragraph [0177] and [0178], as follows:

[0177] Also, in the first and seventh preferred embodiments of the present invention, although the upper surfaces of the dielectric layers on the main barrier ribs and the upper surfaces of the dielectric layers on the electrode barrier ribs are of the same height, the present invention is not limited to this.

configuration and the heights may be different as seen in FIG. 41.

[0178] In order to prevent discharge leakage between discharge cells of different colors while having a structure in which the upper surfaces of the dielectric layers 39' on the main barrier ribs 35 and the upper surfaces of the dielectric layers 39 on the electrode barrier ribs 37 are of differing heights, it is preferable that, in the case where a height of the upper surfaces of the dielectric layers formed on the main barrier ribs defining the discharge cells are equally provided, the dielectric layers are formed such that the upper surfaces of the dielectric layers 39' formed on the main barrier ribs 35 are 10-50 μ m higher than the upper surfaces of the dielectric layers 39 formed on the electrode barrier ribs 37.